

WAR PLAYS HAVOC WITH PROPOSED AVIATION MEET

Round-the-World Flight Well Under Way When War Put An End to Plans

'Round-the-world-aviation-relay-race, as proposed in connection with the opening of the Panama-Pacific exposition at San Francisco will not be conducted in accordance with the original plans made a number of months ago, in the opinion of Arnold Kruckman, a member of the United States aeronautic commission for the Panama-Pacific exposition, who is completing a tour of the world and returning to the Pacific coast as a passenger in the steamer Manchuria.

Kruckman left the United States about one year ago, sailing from New York for Great Britain. He spent some time in France where he succeeded in interest in the plan for a world-wide relay race and series of aerial flights.

His efforts at meeting with success in Germany where several airship companies are promised to enter the competition. The outbreak of the European war early part of August resulted in the withdrawal of many of the European powers from the proposed international tour.

Japan, China, the Philippines and Australia are expected to assist in the success of the meeting. While much modified the general scheme for an aviation meet at San Francisco will be carried out, says Kruckman, who spent much of his time in and about the city.

WHITMAN PROBES DIX PARDON OF RICE MURDERER

(Associated Press by Fed. Wireless.) NEW YORK, N. Y., Nov. 23.—District Attorney Whitman has instituted an investigation of circumstances surrounding the pardon that Governor Dix granted Albert Patrick, convicted of the famous Rice murder. Affidavits have been filed alleging bribery in connection with the pardon.

PRESIDENT WILSON TO SPEND THANKSGIVING QUIETLY WITH DAUGHTER

WASHINGTON, D. C., Nov. 23.—President Wilson will spend Thanksgiving with his daughter, Mrs. F. B. Sayre, at Williamstown. All state receptions, dinners and other formal social functions, including the annual New Year's dinner, have been abandoned for this winter because of the death of Mrs. Wilson.

PUNAHOU AND KAM TO PLAY FINAL CONTEST

There will be one more football game to close the local season. Saturday the athletic authorities of Punahou Academy and the Kamehameha Schools came together and decided to play a game between the two institutions on Thanksgiving morning. Play will be on the Kam field at 11:30 o'clock.

In the matter of a petition for attorney's fees, filed in the federal court by K. Hirano, a bankrupt, a hearing of the case will be held before Judge Sanford B. Dole November 27.

FILIPINO HAS NOT LOST HIS FAITH IN U. S.

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Looking toward Philippines independence would be taken during the short session of the national legislature.

Vice-governor Martin has been a resident of the Philippines for about one year. A year ago last Christmas he passed through Honolulu en route to Manila to take up his duties as a member of the Philippine commission. Since that time he says he has been given abundant opportunity of studying conditions and the people at first hand.

Asked regarding his attitude on the many measures incorporated in the Jones bill, the Philippine official declines to give an opinion, declaring that as far as he has learned his presence was required in Washington more in an advisory capacity, than along the line of debate or in lobbying.

Mrs. Martin and Miss Sibyl Martin accompany the commissioner to the United States. Samuel Ferguson, secretary to Governor-general Francis Burton Harrison, is a member of the Martin party.

Commissioner Martin realizes that he will be obliged to face united opposition. A large faction in the Philippines armed with a vast amount of data concerning the work accomplished during the first year of its administration.

"The Philippine islands are not so bad off as some parts of the Far East as a result of the European war," was the statement coming from the vice-governor.

"The islands are slowly recovering from a period of depression. The country is now concerned in stamping out rinderpest and the government has shown its interest in the matter by rendering all aid and assistance by the employment of experts. The legislature has made newer and larger appropriations toward this end."

That conditions in the provinces outside of Manila are not what they might be but that the first effects of the European war upon food supplies and the insular imports and exports are not so serious as might have been expected, was the keynote of the commissioner's remarks. Good crops are reported in most of the districts with slow sales but improving along staple food, such as hemp and copra. Locusts and cattle disease have in some localities proved a far greater detriment to prosperity than the effect of the war.

Territorial Secretary W. W. Thayer met Vice-governor Martin and party with the arrival of the Manchuria at Pier 7. Mr. L. McCandless, John Kruckman and other well known Democratic leaders welcomed the official and then completed arrangements for the day's entertainment.

Following an informal luncheon at the Country Club, the Martin party will be driven to Pearl Harbor naval station and perhaps a visit paid to several military posts. An inspection of one of the sugar plantations has been planned.

A party of 27 sat down at the luncheon in the distinguished visitors' honor at the Country Club. Those present were Vice-governor and Mrs. Henderson S. Martin, Miss Sybil Martin, Mr. S. Ferguson, private secretary to Governor-general Harrison of the Philippines; Mrs. Ferguson, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barclay of Manila, P. I., Governor Pinkham, Territorial Secretary W. W. Thayer and wife, Chief Justice A. G. M. Robertson and wife, Hon. J. K. Kalaniano'ole, Judge and Mrs. C. W. Ashford, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Babbitt, Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McCandless, Mrs. C. B. Cooper, Malcolm A. Franklin, James L. Coke, Curtis P. Lankester and Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Waterhouse.

JOHN APIO, ACCUSED OF BIGAMY, PROVES TOO FAST FOR 'BULLS'

Although the entire detective force of the police department is engaged in the search, John Apio, a prisoner who escaped from the territorial bastille last week, was still at large this morning. Apio, arrested at the instance of the federal authorities, who aver he has two wives more than the law allows, walked out with a companion, Kellipuluole, simultaneously with a garbage wagon which passed through the prison gate with its load of freight. Kellipuluole was easily recaptured ten minutes later, but Apio is proving an elusive fugitive.

GOVERNOR'S SECRETARY EN ROUTE TO MAINLAND WITH VICE-GOVERNOR

Completing his labors on an appropriation bill which brought before the Philippine assembly, is expected to cover every possible contingency, Samuel Ferguson, secretary to Governor-general Francis Burton Harrison of the Philippines, is a passenger in the Pacific Mail liner Manchuria, and is accompanying Vice-governor H. S. Martin on his mission to Washington, D. C.

Secretary Ferguson has finished his special task for the governor-general in gathering data to be incorporated in the measure. The Philippine assembly made every effort to approve of the measure and have its passage announced at Washington in time for the opening of a discussion of the Jones bill to be brought before the United States senate. The measure was approved before Mr. Ferguson left.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

The case of Edward Cluney, charged with having violated the white slave act, will be set for trial in the federal court November 26.

The governor today reappointed the old board of veterinary examiners, consisting of W. T. Monsarrat, H. B. Elliot and V. A. Norgaard.

The women's Auxiliary and Guild of St. Andrew's Cathedral will meet tomorrow at 3 p. m. in the Guild hall. The Misses Gillet, hostesses.

The case of Albert Machado will be set for trial in the federal court November 30. Machado is charged with having violated the white slave law.

A declaration of intention to become an American citizen has been filed in the office of the clerk of the federal court by Frederick Wylie Jamieson, a native of Scotland.

An old fashioned Thanksgiving service was given at the Leahi Home by some 25 young people from the Methodist and Korean Epworth Leagues yesterday.

The trial of Joe Rodriguez, charged with having committed a statutory offense on the island of Hawaii, was commenced before Judge Sanford B. Dole in the federal court this morning.

Upon motion of United States District Attorney Jeff McCann for a directed verdict, Kikichi Sakuma and Kila Sato, charged with having committed a statutory offense, were declared not guilty in the federal court this morning and released.

Those members of the Chamber of Commerce of Honolulu who may be planning to visit in the East next month, and incidentally attending the road congress to be held in Chicago, Illinois, December 14 to 18, are requested to notify the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce at their earliest convenience.

The War Relief Committee late Saturday afternoon cabled \$1000 to New York City to be used expressly for relief work in Northern France. The forwarding of this amount leaves the committee with \$31.40 on hand. Subscriptions are still being received, and 40 boxes of clothing have been forwarded to the mainland on the steamer Kentuckian.

No session was held in the criminal division of the circuit court today, Judge Ashford being called to sit on the supreme court bench in Associate Justice A. P. Quarles' place in hearing argument of the civil suit appeal of Kapiolani Palau versus the Helemano Land Company. Several criminal cases are set for jury trial tomorrow morning.

Charged with having committed a statutory offense, Harry E. Apo, an employee of the local postoffice, was arrested Saturday afternoon by Deputy Marshal Albert Harris. Apo was released on bond to the amount of \$500, and a hearing of his case will be held before United States Commissioner George S. Curry November 26 at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

H. P. Wood, secretary of the Promotion Committee, will undergo an operation at the Queen's hospital tomorrow for an ailment from which he has been suffering for some weeks past. He will be absent from the Promotion Committee office for about two weeks. During Mr. Wood's absence Sidney Jordan, assistant secretary, will be in charge of the work of the office.

Tenders for the job of constructing the wharf shed on the new Kuhio bay pier at Hilo will be opened by the board of harbor commissioners at 10:30 o'clock tomorrow morning. The board will meet in weekly session at 9 o'clock. Whether the successful bidder will be expected to accept payment from the territory in the new bonds issued two months ago, has not yet been determined.

The trial of one of the cases against Joseph A. Doyle and Maude Scholl Doyle, charged with having committed a statutory offense, will be begun in the federal court Monday morning, December 14. Doyle and his wife each have two indictments now pending against them. Mrs. M. Ferguson, Mrs. Edna Ferguson Doyle and Mrs. Viola Lukens will be summoned from San Francisco and Seattle to serve as witnesses in the trial.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce has received information to the effect that the Fidelity Trust Company of Baltimore is engineering an excursion to South America for the purpose of giving American producers an insight into the possibility of shipping American goods and produce to South America. The trip will consume 108 days. Honolulu, concerning wishing to secure full data regarding the excursion may obtain it from the secretary of the chamber.

Circuit Judge Whitney today authorized Cecil Brown, administrator of the estate of the late Walter C. Peacock, to give Stewart, Stawell and Nankivell of Melbourne, Australia, his power of attorney that they may proceed to force collection of a large claim against J. McA. Howden of that city. It is alleged Howden owes the Peacock estate for moneys entrusted to him before Peacock's death. The Peacock estate, according to documents filed in circuit court, faces creditors' claims aggregating \$74,498.35.

The passage of the measure by the Philippine legislature is believed will exert considerable influence with the senate in agreeing to the immediate passage of the Jones bill.

MOSES R. COUNTER IS CALLED OVER GREAT DIVIDE

Long-Time Resident of Honolulu Answers Final Summons in His 69th Year

Moses R. Counter, watchmaker and jeweler, died at his home, 728 Kinau street, at 3:30 o'clock this morning. His funeral will be held from the Masonic Temple at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Born in Devonshire, England, May 20, 1846, Mr. Counter was 68 years and six months old at death. In early infancy he was taken to Canada, where he lived until he came to Honolulu 25 years ago. His wife accompanied him here, where she died six years ago. They were separated by death after a union lasting 49 years, and a pathetic circumstance was the fact that they had taken what they called their honeymoon trip, being an excursion to Hialewa, only a few days before the sad event. A sister of Mr. Counter died last year at the old family home in Seaford, Canada. It is believed that two brothers survive him. His father died in his 92nd year.

Mr. Counter has been in business ever since his arrival here, most of the time occupying a store in the Love building, Fort street. Honorable in all his dealings, he drew a substantial share of custom. A trip to the coast many years ago was his only absence from the islands since his arrival. He was a Mason and last Saturday was the first time in years that he was missing from the Shriner's annual parade. Though his health had been failing for four or five years his last illness was only a few days in duration. Heart failure was the immediate cause of death.

A couple of years ago Mr. Counter received from the Canadian government his reward for serving in the defense of his country at the time of the Fenian raid, 1860, in the shape of 160 acres of land and \$100 in cash.

Mr. Counter left a will, in which he bequeathed his entire estate to his sister-in-law, Miss Jessie F. Thompson, who has been assisting in the conduct of the jewelry store since her arrival seven years ago last August.

quo warranto proceedings, which were filed in the name of David K. Sherwood and others against City and County Clerk Kalaokalani. The court informed him that if it desired argument it would so notify him and the attorney-general, the latter appearing as the clerk's legal representative.



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